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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 00-1123-D)

In re Application of:
Cunningham, et al.

Serial No.: 09/930,352

Filed: August 15, 2001

For: A Label-Free High-Throughput Optical
Technique for Detecting Biomolecular
Interactions

Examiner: TBA

Art Unit: 1645

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Asst. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- a) Second Response to Notice to File Missing Parts;
- b) Filing fee; and
- c) Return postcard

2. With respect to fees:

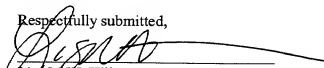
- a) A check in the amount of \$405.00 is enclosed.
- b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.

3. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION: Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Date: March 4, 2002

Respectfully submitted,


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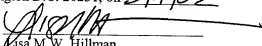
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Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants file this paper in response to the Notice of Missing Parts mailed in the above-mentioned case on October 2, 2001. Enclosed are drawing sheets having appropriate margins. No new matter has been added. It is believed that the response to Notice of Missing Parts mailed on October 2, 2001 is now complete.

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Date: 3/4/02
Lisa M.W. Hillman

Applicants filed a one-month petition for extension of time for response to the Notice of Missing parts on December 14, 2001. Applicants respectfully petition for an extension of another two months, up to and including March 2, 2002. A check for four hundred and five dollars (\$405) is enclosed to cover the cost of the second and third month extensions. Please credit or charge any over- or under-payment of fees to our Deposit Account Number 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 3/4/02

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BY: KCS/CS

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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